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SUBJ: PRODUCER/COSUMER DIALOGUE: MODIFICATION OF FRENCH

AIDE-MEMOIRE ON FOURTH COMMISSION

REF: STATE 210910

1. FONOFF OFFICIAL (KARITA) HAS INFORMED US THAT ALTHOUGH ECONOMIC BUREAU DG MIYAZAKI MET WITH FRENCH AMBASSADOR BRUNET AT LUNCH TODAY, REFTEL SUBJECT WAS NOT BROACHED NEVERTHELESS IF FRENCH RAISE SUBJECT WITH JAPANESE, GOJ WILL REINTERATE PREVIOUS POSITION THAT IT WOULD PREFER THAT NO FURTHER CONCESSIONS BE MADE TO PRODUCERS, BUT THAT GOJ WILL NOT BLOCK PREPCON BECAUSE OF ADDITION OF "AND MONETARY" WORDING TO DESCRIPTION OF FINANCIAL COMMISSION WORK.

2. KARITA ASKED IF MONETARY QUESTION ONLY ONE RAISED BY FRENCH. FONOFF UNDERSTANDS THAT PRODUCERS HAVE MADE A NUMBER OF DEMANDS. KARITA WONDERS IF FRENCH HAVE BEEN ABLE TO FEND OTHERS OFF, OR IF THIS IS ONLY ONE THAT POSES PROBLEMS FOR U.S.

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3. KARITA ALSO ASKED IF WE KNEW ANYTHING ABOUT A

FRENCH PROPOSAL TO HOLD A PRODUCER/CONSUMER MEETING
ON COPPER. THIS IDEA IS APPARENTLY CIRCULATING IN LONDON
AT THE INTERNATIONAL TIN CONFERENCE.
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